

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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**For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR AUTHENTICATING THE
DISTRIBUTION OF DATA**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2008, please enter the following amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.